THE HON'BLE Ms. JUSTICE G. ROHINI

WRIT PETITION No.21813 OF 2006

ORAL ORDER:

Acharya Nagarjuna University, Nagarjuna Nagar, Guntur, is the petitioner in this writ petition, in which a declaration is sought that the action of the respondent-Assistant Provident Fund Commissioner, in directing the petitioner-University to pay the disputed amount of PF contribution is arbitrary and illegal.

This Court by order dated 23.10.2006, while directing notice to the respondent and granting interim stay of operation of the impugned order, left it open to the petitioner to work out the alternative remedy of appeal against the order impugned.

The learned counsel for the petitioner across the bar stated that the petitioner is taking steps to present the appeal, for which purpose the limitation is available till 8.12.2006. The learned standing counsel appearing for the respondent also submitted that the Tribunal-Appellate Authority is functioning as on today. In the circumstances, no further enquiry is necessary on merits.

Accordingly, the writ petition is disposed of granting liberty to the petitioner to work out the statutory remedy of appeal. However, having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case, it is made clear that the impugned order dated 29.9.2006 shall not be given effect to for a period of three weeks from today. No costs.

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(G. ROHINI, J.)

27th November, 2006.
Issue CC in two days.
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Between:

Acharya Nagarjuna University,
Nagarjuna Nagar, P.C., Guntur
(District), represented through its Registrar. Petitioner.

And

The Asst. Provident Fund Commissioner,
Regional Office, 3rd Lane, Krishna Nagar,
Guntur. .. Respondent.